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Des Moines, IA
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Beef

IMPS#	Description	Wts	Lbs/Lds	Avg	Change Pw/wk
Boxed Beef Cuts, Select 1-3					
113A Chuck, 2-pc	72-119	82499	119.51	-1.49	
115 Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80	238593	126.09	-1.24	
116A Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25	40811	138.02	-5.66	
120 Brisket	6-14	304325	115.21	-1.84	
123A Short Rib	1-4	39193	108.88	-1.08	
160 Round, Bn-in	50-85	144771	126.52	-5.93	
161 Round, Bnls	42-80	69433	137.58	-1.71	
168 Inside Round	14-26	119946	133.70	2.95	
170 Gooseneck Round	18-33	683971	125.88	0.69	
Coarse ground Blend 81%		295919	129.96	1.80	
Coarse ground Blend 85%		43952	143.59	-14.67	

Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items

Boneless Chuck 85%			138.28	-4.55
Top Inside Round	12-16		178.42	4.59

Boneless Processing Beef/Beef Trimmings, Fresh

90% Chemical Lean	2310911	132.42	1.48
50% Chemical Lean	6378567	47.29	2.26

Pork

Pork Loins, Fresh ¼" Trim	21 lbs/dn	22.5	95.27	1.16
Boston Butt, Fresh ¼" Trim	5-10 lbs	10.0	88.90	10.82
Spareribs, Fresh	4.25 lbs	5.0	139.00	8.70
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	17-20 lbs	4.0	56.75	1.75
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	20-23 lbs	10.0	53.40	5.99

Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	14-16 lbs	6.0	78.00	3.00
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	16-18 lbs	2.0	76.00	2.00
Boneless Picnic Meat, Fresh		4.0	52.00	-1.42
72% Chemical Lean		28.0	42.43	2.98

Dollars per Hundredweight - Equated to FOB Omaha Basis

Dairy Market News
Madison, WI
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Butter

Bulk butter, f.o.b. producing plant, national price range, truckload quantities

This Week	Last Week
1.1050-1.1850	1.0975-1.1775

American Cheese

Process cheese, 5-pound loaf, national price range, dollars per pound

This Week	Last Week
1.2775-1.6100	1.2850-1.6100

Fluid Milk = May 2006

Base prices paid for raw milk by Class I milk processors, dollars per gallon

Product	Price Level	Change from Prv/Month	Change from Prv/Yr
Class I Base (3.5%)	0.9433	-0.0214	-0.3293
Whole Milk	0.9186	-0.0207	-0.3194
Reduced Fat Milk	0.7955	-0.0168	-0.2714
Fat-free Milk	0.6456	-0.0119	-0.2128

Poultry Market News
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Broiler/Fryers

Whole Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound, Delivered
New York 49.61 Chicago 49.43 Los Angeles 72.56

Parts Bulk

Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound
Northeast (Delivered) Breast B/S 95.84 Leg Quarters 17.64
Southern States (FOB) Breast B/S 97.59 Leg Quarters 15.16

Young Turkeys

Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Frozen, Per Pound, Delivered
Hens 8-16 Lbs Toms 16-24 Lbs
Eastern 70.00 70.00
Central 71.00 69.50
Western 69.00 69.00

Table Eggs

Large, USDA Grade A, White, In Cartons, In Volume, Cents Per Dozen
Northeast 55.00 Metropolitan Areas
Southeast 55.50 New York 54.00-58.00
Midwest 48.50 Chicago & MW 51.00-59.00
S. Central 55.50 S. California 78.00-81.00

Egg Products

Liquid, Non-pasteurized, Trucklot Volume, FOB, Per Pound
Whole 21.00-24.00 Whites 26.50-27.75 Yolks TFEWR
Frozen, 30Lb Containers, Wholesale Per Pound
Whole Eggs Whites
Eastern (Less Than Trucklot) 42.00-49.00 45.00-52.00
Central 38.00-41.00 40.00-46.00
S. Calif. (Less Than Trucklot) 44.00-48.00 45.00-48.00
Dried, Wholesale Prices, Dollars Per Pound, In Container (Range)
Whole 1.32-1.54 Yolks 1.20-1.50 Blends 1.18-1.35

Fruit & Vegetable Market News
Washington, DC
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Fruits

Apples, Red Delicious, WAExFcy, Containers Tray Pack, 100s Yakima Valley & Wenatchee District, WA regular storage 13.00
Pears, D'Anjou, US One, 4/5 bushel carton wrapped 100s, Yakima Valley & Wenatchee District 16.50
Strawberries, flats 12 1-pint baskets, Medium-Large, S. District, CA 7.90
Mexico Crossings through Otey Mesa 8.40
Oranges, Navel, Shippers 1st Grade, 7/10 bushel cartons, 113s, South & Central District CA 7.00
Watermelons, Red Flesh Seeded Type, cartons per lb, 4s, Mexico Crossing through Nogales, AZ 0.15

Vegetables

Broccoli, Bunched 14s Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, CA 6.00
Carrots, Medium-Large Sks 48 1-lb filmbags, Kern District, CA 9.85
Celery, 2 ½ doz, ctns, Oxnard District, CA 6.98
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24S, Cartons, Central San Joaquin, CA 5.68
Peppers, Bell Type, Green, 11/9 bushel cartons, large, Mexico Crossing through Nogales, AZ 11.85
South FL 7.60
Tomatoes, Mature Greens, U.S.One, 25 lb. Cts, 6x6 sizes, C. & S. FL 11.45
Mexico Crossings through Nogales, Vine Ripe, 2 layer flats, 4X5s 12.45
Onions, Yellow Grano, Jumbo, 50 lb Sacks, Mexico Crossings through South TX 5.00
Yellow Grano, Lower Rio Grande Valley TX 5.25
Potatoes, Russet Norkotah, U.S. One, 50lb ctns, 70s, Upper Valley, Twin Falls, Burley District and Western ID 11.50

Simple Average of Weekending Prices of Stated Grades or Stock of Generally Good Merchantable Quality and Condition. Prices FOB Shipping Point Basis. Dollars per Unit.